



State of New Jersey

Christine Todd Whitman Governor

Department of Environmental Protection

Robert C. Shinn, Jr.

Commissioner

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CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED
NO: P 642 595 329

Brian Helland Northern Division Naval Facilities Engineering Command 10 Industrial Highway, Mail Stop 82 Lester, PA 19113

Dear Mr. Helland:

Re: Amended Remedial Alternatives Analysis Free Product Removal at Building 566 Naval Weapons Station Earle Colts Neck Twp., Monmouth Co.

The New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (Department) has reviewed the above referenced report, prepared by Brown & Root Environmental on behalf of the Naval Weapons Station Earle, dated March 21, 1997. The report is approved in its present form. The Department concurs with Brown & Root's recommendation of excavation and offsite treatment.

If you have any questions, please call me at (609)-633-7327.

Sincerely

Bob Marcolina, Case Manager

Bureau of Federal Case Management

c: Rick Gorrell, Brown & Root Environmental